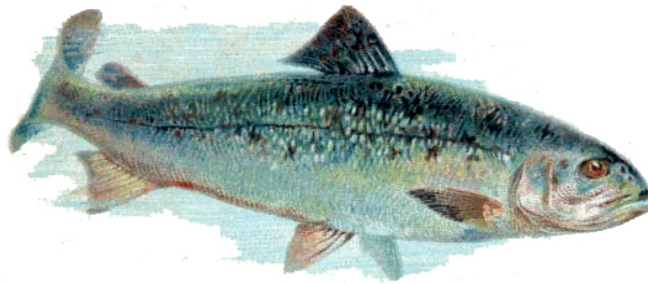


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## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Members of the Natural Resources, Ecology, & Parks Committee  
**From:** Jason Callahan & Jeff Olsen, Committee Staff  
**Date:** May 22, 2005  
**RE:** NREP Committee Sine Die Report

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Attached is the final committee report for the Natural Resources, Ecology, & Parks Committee. The report summarizes the action that was taken on all bills assigned to the committee during the 2005 session. The information is presented in three chapters: the bills reported from the committee that passed the Legislature, the bills reported from the committee that failed to pass the entire Legislature, and those bills never reported from the committee.

Each year the committee staff prepares this report for the members of the committee for your reference. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the staff.

Thank you.

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BILL NO.	PRIME SPONSORS	SUMMARY	SINE DIE STATUS
EHB 1003	Hinkle, Sullivan, B., Curtis	<p><b>Allowing Off-Road Vehicles on Nonhighway Roads</b> - Allows the use of off-road vehicles (ORVs) on nonhighway roads when authorized by the responsible governing body. Establishes a traffic infraction for any person operating an ORV on a nonhighway road without a helmet. Restricts persons under 13 years of age from operating an ORV on a nonhighway road unless under the direct supervision of an adult.</p> <p><i>Partial Veto:</i> Vetoes a provision that would have established a legislative task force to study ORV noise management.</p>	Chapter 213 Laws of 2005 ----- Partial Veto
HB 1128	Nixon	<p><b>Modifying the Definition of "Conviction" for Chapter 77.15 Rew</b> Permits the Department of Fish and Wildlife to suspend a person's recreational hunting and fishing privileges after certain infractions are committed.</p>	Chapter 321 Laws of 2005
SHB 1208	O'Brien	<p><b>Concerning Forfeited Property -</b> Changes the definition of "owner or operator" in the Model Toxics Control Act so that a state entity or local government will not become liable as an owner or operator of a facility if the facility came into public ownership through a drug forfeiture action.</p>	Chapter 191 Laws of 2005
SHB 1210	Sullivan, B., Buck, Blake	<p><b>Providing for Temporary Combination Fishing Licenses -</b> Authorizes the Department of Fish and Wildlife to issue temporary one-day through five-day combination fishing licenses for fish, shellfish, and seaweed. Establishes fees for temporary licenses ranging from \$7 per day for residents to \$34 for five days for nonresidents. Creates a \$7 charter stamp, valid for a one day temporary combination fishing license for residents and nonresidents.</p>	Chapter 192 Laws of 2005
HB 1211	Blake, Sullivan, B., Buck	<p><b>Concerning a Multiple Season Big Game Permit -</b> Grants the Fish and Wildlife Commission the authority to offer multiple season big game permits that allows the holder to hunt deer or elk during more than one general hunting season.</p>	Chapter 140 Laws of 2005
SHB 1214	Blake, Upthegrove	<p><b>Concerning Food Fish and Shellfish Commercial License Requirements -</b> Defines "deliver" from a commercial fishing vessel as the arrival at a place or port from offshore waters to waters within the state and arrivals from state or offshore waters.</p>	Chapter 20 Laws of 2005
ESHB 1302	Kagi, Jarrett, Sullivan, B.	<p><b>Modifying Burn Ban Triggers -</b> Changes the size of particulates measured, and adds additional requirements that must be satisfied, when determining if restrictions on the use of solid fuel burning devices should be initiated.</p>	Chapter 197 Laws of 2005

BILL NO.	PRIME SPONSORS	SUMMARY	SINE DIE STATUS
SHB 1313	O'Brien, Pearson, Darneille	<b>Requiring the Parks and Recreation Commission to Have a Record Check Performed on Certain Job Applicants -</b> Directs the Parks and Recreation Commission to adopt rules that require background checks of job applicants, volunteers, and contractors who have unsupervised access to children or vulnerable adults, or who will be involved with handling cash or credit card transactions. Authorizes local law enforcement agencies to purchase or lease automatic fingerprint identification systems from any vendor, provided that the system complies with national industry standards for interoperability with the state system operated by the Washington State Patrol.	Chapter 373 Laws of 2005
2SHB 1346	Buck, Sullivan, B., Kretz	<b>Improving the Efficiency and Predictability of the Hydraulic Project Approval Program -</b> Reorganizes Chapter 77.55 RCW, Construction Projects in State Waters, and repeals certain absolute sections. Establishes a definition section and a new chapter relating to fishways, flow, and screening.	Chapter 146 Laws of 2005
HB 1405	Kretz, Blake, Kristiansen	<b>Extending the Term of the Disabled Hunter and Fishers Advisory Committee -</b> Extends the termination date for the Fish and Wildlife Commission's advisory committee for persons with disabilities from July 1, 2005 until July 1, 2008.	Chapter 149 Laws of 2005
SHB 1406	Buck, Sullivan, B., Orcutt	<b>Concerning Specialized Forest Products -</b> Defines "specialty wood" as certain species of wood with special characteristics that may be used for making musical instruments or ornamental boxes. Requires a specialized forest products permit to harvest, possess, or transport specialty wood. Authorizes a law enforcement officer at the time of arrest to seize and take possession of any equipment, vehicles, tools, or paperwork from a person harvesting, possessing or transporting cedar or specialty wood products in violation of the law.	Chapter 401 Laws of 2005
SHB 1491	Sullivan, B., Kretz, Upthegrove	<b>Reorganizing Aquatic Lands Statutes -</b> Consolidates and updates the statutory language that governs the Department of Natural Resources' management of aquatic lands without making substantive changes.  <i>Partial veto:</i> Removes a section that was also amended by SHB 1657.	Chapter 155 Laws of 2005 ----- Partial Veto
E2SHB 1605	Upthegrove, Dickerson, Schual-Berke	<b>Protecting Children from Area-wide Soil Contamination -</b> Directs the Department of Ecology (DOE), in cooperation with the Department of Health and the Department of Social and Health Services, to assist schools and child care facilities in the central Puget Sound smelter plume by testing soils and assisting with site cleanup. Requires schools and child care facilities to work with the DOE to provide access for soil sampling.	Chapter 306 Laws of 2005

<b>BILL NO.</b>	<b>PRIME SPONSORS</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>SINE DIE STATUS</b>
SHB 1657	Takko, Buck, Sullivan, B.	<b>Concerning the Construction of Bridges and Trestles -</b> Waives the cost of a right-of-way for local governments that plan to build a bridge or trestle over aquatic lands, and requires the local government to pay the cost of natural resources damages that are not already covered by an approved mitigation plan.	Chapter 58 Laws of 2005
HB 1695	Buri, Kretz, Green	<b>Modifying the Definition of "Resident" for the Purposes of Title 77 Rcw -</b> Allows the children of Washington residents who do not reside in Washington to purchase a hunting and fishing license at the lower resident rate.	Chapter 104 Laws of 2005
ESHB 1696	Blake, Buck, Takko	<b>Increasing Penalties for the Violation of Certain Fish and Wildlife Provisions -</b> Expands the crime of unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree to include fishing for or possessing a species of fish that is listed as endangered or threatened. Allows flexibility in the types of security posted to reclaim seized property. Increases the penalties for the unlawful hunting of big game. Creates a new non-appropriated account to fund wildlife enforcement activities.	Chapter 104 Laws of 2005
HB 1739	Ericksen	<b>Modifying Snowmobile Registration -</b> Defines a vintage snowmobile as a snowmobile manufactured at least 30 years ago, establishes an annual vintage snowmobile registration fee of \$12, and requires the Department of Licensing to design a distinct registration decal.	Chapter 235 Laws of 2005
HB 1832	Kretz, Blake, Grant	<b>Requiring the Posting of Cougar Interactions with Pets, Livestock, or Humans -</b> Requires the Department of Fish and Wildlife to post the known details of all reported interactions between cougars and humans, pets, and livestock on their internet website.	Chapter 107 Laws of 2005
HB 1838	Linville, Grant, Hinkle	<b>Increasing the Threshold for Short Board Appeals Before the Shorelines and Pollution Control Hearings Boards -</b> Allows appeals of shoreline permits to be heard by only three members of the Shorelines Hearing Board if the penalty amount in dispute is \$15,000 or less. Raises the penalty level that allows the Pollution Control Hearings Board to hear cases with only one presiding member from \$5,000 to \$15,000.	Chapter 34 Laws of 2005
HB 1958	Buck, Sullivan, B.	<b>Extending Certain Limited Fisheries Buyback Programs -</b> Extends from December 31, 2005 to December 31, 2010 the expiration of certain taxes and fees earmarked for buying back licenses in the commercial sea urchin and sea cucumber fisheries.	Chapter 110 Laws of 2005
SB 5006	Jacobsen	<b>Concerning the Sale of Aquaculture Products Produced on Leased State-owned Aquatic Land -</b> Allows aquaculture products that are produced on state-owned aquatic lands to be sold by the person that produced the product without going through a competitive bid or public auction process.	Chapter 113 Laws of 2005

<b>BILL NO.</b>	<b>PRIME SPONSORS</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>SINE DIE STATUS</b>
ESB 5089	Sheldon, Fraser, Kline	<b>Limiting Nuisance Noise from Off-road Vehicles. (Revised for Engrossed: Creating a Task Force to Study Off-road Vehicle Noise Management.) -</b> Creates a legislative task force on off-road vehicle noise management.	Chapter 168 Laws of 2005
SSB 5145	Jacobsen, Swecker, Oke	<b>Establishing a Boating Safety Education Program -</b> Directs the State Parks and Recreation Commission to establish and implement by rule a required boating safety education program. Establishes a mandatory \$10 boater education card to be phased in from 2008 to 2016 for persons 12 years of age and older operating motor boats with 15 horsepower or more.	Chapter 392 Laws of 2005
ESB 5355	Doumit, Zarelli, Jacobsen	<b>Modifying Provisions for Salmon and Steelhead Recovery in the Lower Columbia Region -</b> Extends the management board created to implement the Lower Columbia Steelhead Conservation Initiative from July 1, 2006 to July 1, 2010. Expands the program for steelhead recovery in the Lower Columbia to include salmon and adds developing and overseeing implementation of the habitat portion of the salmon and steelhead recovery plan to the responsibilities of the management board.	Chapter 308 Laws of 2005
ESSB 5432	Spanel, Swecker, Poulsen	<b>Creating the Oil Spill Advisory Council -</b> Establishes a 16 member Oil Spill Monitoring and Oversight Council in the Office of the Governor to provide independent oversight, research and monitoring of the state's oil spill program. Directs the Council to report to the Governor and the Legislature with recommendations for the long-term funding of the council and the appropriate agency in which to locate the council.	Chapter 304 Laws of 2005
SSB 5449	Poulsen, Swecker, Pridemore	<b>Providing Lien Authority to the Department of Ecology to Facilitate the Recovery of Remedial Action Costs under the Model Toxics Control Act -</b> Authorizes the Department of Ecology (DOE) to file a lien against a property where the state of Washington has incurred a remedial action cost that is unrecovered. Except for property tax assessments and certain mortgage liens, liens filed by the DOE have priority in rank over all other privileges, liens, encumbrances, or other security interests affecting the property.	Chapter 211 Laws of 2005
SSB 5610	Jacobsen	<b>Promoting Salmon Recovery on a Regionwide Basis -</b> Extends the Governor's Salmon Recovery Office (GSRO) from June 30, 2006, until June 30, 2007. Authorizes lead entities to form regional salmon recovery organizations to plan, coordinate and monitor regional recovery plans.	Chapter 309 Laws of 2005
SSB 5676	Poulsen, Kline, Shin	<b>Requiring Oil Spill Contingency Plans to Include Shellfish Beds -</b> Adds shellfish beds to the list of natural resources to be considered for facility and vessel oil spill contingency planning purposes.	Chapter 78 Laws of 2005



BILL NO.	PRIME SPONSORS	SUMMARY	SINE DIE STATUS
ESSB 5699	Oke, Jacobsen, Spanel	<b>Preventing and Controlling Aquatic Invasive Species and Algae -</b> Increases additional vessel registration fees by \$3 and deposits these moneys in three new dedicated accounts for aquatic invasive species prevention and enforcement, and freshwater aquatic algae control. Directs the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife and the Washington State Patrol to inspect watercraft and trailers and implement an aquatic invasive species early detection and rapid response plan.	Chapter 464 Laws of 2005
SSB 5765	Spanel, Brandland	<b>Concerning Dungeness Crab--puget Sound Fishery Licenses -</b> Allows two different people to designate the same vessel on their Puget Sound Dungeness crab fishery licenses.	Chapter 82 Laws of 2005
ESSB 5788	Doumit, Kastama, Mulliken	<b>Improving Recycling -</b> Requires the transporters of recyclable materials to register with the state or face a civil violation. Requires certain recycling facilities to notify the state before commencing operations.	Chapter 394 Laws of 2005
SB 5869	Swecker, Jacobsen, Oke	<b>Concerning Planting of Certain Trout -</b> Repeals the statute that ties the Department of Fish and Wildlife's ability to purchase privately-produced triploid trout to the ability of the Department to recover the costs of buying the trout. Reinstates and makes permanent the authority that existed in 1999 and 2000 for the Fish and Wildlife Commission to determine which waters are appropriate for receiving triploid trout.	Chapter 87 Laws of 2005
SSB 5914	Parlette, Jacobsen	<b>Concerning the Conditioning of Grants and Loans by the Salmon Recovery Funding Board -</b> Authorizes the Salmon Recovery Funding Board to approve changes in grant or loan terms to allow property to be transferred to a federal agency if certain habitat protections are retained, and the transfer is approved by the appropriate local legislative authority.	Chapter 271 Laws of 2005
SB 6033	Doumit	<b>Creating a Washington Coastal Dungeness Crab Pot Buoy Tag Program -</b> Expands the crab pot buoy tag program from the Puget Sound commercial Dungeness crab fishery to the coastal crab fishery. Authorizes the Department of Fish and Wildlife to assess a fee on the license holders in the commercial coastal Dungeness crab fishery to pay for the buoy tag program. Creates a new non-appropriated account.	Chapter 395 Laws of 2005
SJM 8000	Parlette, Morton, Mulliken	<b>Supporting the Establishment of the Ice Age Floods National Geologic Trail -</b> Conveys support to establish the Ice Age Floods National Geologic Trail to the President and the Congress.	Filed to Sec/St



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April 22, 2005

To the Honorable Speaker and Members,  
The House of Representatives of the State of Washington

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning, without my approval as to Section 210, Substitute House Bill No. 1491 entitled:

"AN ACT Relating to recodification of aquatic lands statutes."

Substitute House Bill 1491 recodifies the state's aquatic lands management statutes without substantive change. Section 210 of the bill makes non-substantive changes to RCW 79.91.100, a section of state law that was substantively amended by Substitute House Bill 1657, relating to bridges and trestles. I signed Substitute House Bill 1657 into law earlier this session, on April 14, 2005. If Section 210 of Substitute House Bill 1491 is also signed into law, it may conflict with the substantive changes made by Substitute House Bill 1657. For this reason, I have vetoed Section 210 of Substitute House Bill 1491.

With the exception of Section 210, Substitute House Bill 1491 is approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Christine O. Gregoire  
Governor



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April 28, 2005

To the Honorable Speaker and Members,  
The House of Representatives of the State of Washington

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning, without my approval as to Section 8, Engrossed House Bill No. 1003 entitled:

"AN ACT Relating to the operation of off-road vehicles on roadways."

Sections 1 through 7 and 9 of Engrossed House Bill 1003 provide for increased flexibility and improved safety requirements when operating an off-road vehicle. Specifically, no person under the age of thirteen (13) years may operate an off-road vehicle unless directly supervised by a person over the age of eighteen (18). Any person operating an off-road vehicle must wear an approved helmet unless the vehicle is equipped with seat belts, roll bars or an enclosed passenger compartment. Engrossed House Bill 1003 provides further flexibility for off-road vehicle users by permitting, in certain circumstances, the operation of the vehicle on non-highway roads to facilitate greater access to off-road vehicle specific trails.

Section 8 of Engrossed House Bill 1003 creates a task force for the purpose of studying and making recommendations regarding off-road vehicle noise. I am vetoing Section 8 because the task force created in that section is identical to the task force created in Engrossed Substitute House Bill 5089 (Sec. 1), which I signed April 22, 2005.

For these reasons, I have vetoed Section 8 of Engrossed House Bill 1003.

With the exception of Section 8, Engrossed House Bill 1003 is approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Christine O. Gregoire  
Governor

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BILL NO.	PRIME SPONSORS	SUMMARY	SINE DIE STATUS
SHB 1083	Blake, Buck, Wallace	<b>Concerning the Hydraulic Project Approval Program</b> - Establishes legislative intent to clarify the Department of Fish and Wildlife's authority under the Hydraulics Code and streamline the hydraulic project approval process to improve consistency and predictability while ensuring the protection of fish life.	HApprop ----- Provisions included in 2SHB 1346
SHB 1103	DeBolt, Sullivan, B., Blake	<b>Authorizing Forest Products Operations of Statewide Significance</b> Allows the certification of forest products operations of statewide significance, and provides these operations with expedited permitting, certain tax exemptions, and an exemption from the Growth Management Act.	HFinance
SHB 1212	Upthegrove	<b>Wildlife Harvest Reports-</b> Decriminalizes a hunter's failure to submit wildlife harvest information and replaces the penalty with a \$50 fee.	HRules R ----- Provisions similar to those included in SSB 5227
SHB 1215	Sullivan, B., Upthegrove, Buck	<b>Requiring a Turkey Tag to Hunt for Turkey -</b> Requires a \$12 turkey tag for residents and a \$40 turkey tag for nonresidents to hunt for turkey and restricts the revenues to implementing upland game bird management plans.	HRules R
SHB 1360	Hunt, Chase, Upthegrove	<b>Protecting Ancestral Trees -</b> Prohibits the Department of Natural Resources from offering for sale or harvesting most trees located on public lands in western Washington that satisfies the definition of "ancestral trees".	HRules R
SHB 1404	Sullivan, B., Hinkle, Kretz	<b>Requiring Certain Local Governments to Regulate Forest Practices -</b> Removes the current December 31, 2005 deadline for the adoption of ordinances by local governments for approvals of class IV forest practices. Requires certain local governments to adopt ordinances that allows the authority to approve or disapprove forest practices to transfer from the Department of Natural Resources to the local government by January 1, 2008.	HRules R
E2SHB 1415	Dickerson, Sullivan, B., Dunshee	<b>Managing Impacts of Commercial Passenger Vessels on Marine Waters -</b> Prohibits the release of certain wastewaters from commercial passenger vessels. Establishes a system for regulating the release of treated blackwater and graywater from commercial passenger vessels. Requires the operators of commercial passenger vessels to pay an annual operating fee.	S Rules

BILL NO.	PRIME SPONSORS	SUMMARY	SINE DIE STATUS
SHB 1455	Haigh, Wallace, Kagi	<b>Studying Noise from Off-road Vehicles -</b> Creates a joint select committee composed of members of the House of Representatives and the Senate to study off-road vehicle noise management.	HRules R ----- Provisions included in ESB 5089
E2SHB 1458	Hunt, Dickerson, McCoy	<b>Concerning the Management of On-site Sewage Disposal Systems in Marine Areas -</b> Requires local health officers in 12 Puget Sound counties to designate marine recovery areas by July 1, 2006, and develop on-site sewage system (OSS) program implementation plans by July 1, 2007. Directs local health jurisdictions to find failing and unknown OSS and ensure system owners make repairs by July 1, 2010. Directs the DOH to enter into contracts with counties to ensure progress is made on the expectations in the implementation plans. Establishes a grant program at the DOH for the repair and replacement of OSS in counties with marine areas. Authorizes the State Board of Health to adopt rules to address environmental impacts associated with low-dissolved oxygen in marine waters caused by OSS.	S2nd Reading
2SHB 1488	Hunter, Priest, Dickerson	<b>Prohibiting the Sale of Products That Contain Polybrominated Diphenyl Ethers -</b> Bans the manufacture, sale, or distribution of most products containing polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDEs) after July 1, 2007. Authorizes the Governor to delay the ban on Deca-BDE between July 1, 2007, to July 1, 2008, if alternatives are not available at reasonable cost. Exempts transportation vehicles and parts, used products, and recycled products from the PBDE ban, and allows the Department of Ecology (DOE) to grant exemptions for the use of PBDEs under certain circumstances. Directs the DOE and the Department of Health to establish a stakeholder process to study certain items exempt from the ban, provide education and assistance for retailers, and examine labeling requirements for brominated flame retardants.	HRules R
2SHB 1492	Williams, Sullivan, B., Eickmeyer	<b>Developing a Single Pilot Mitigation Bank on State-owned Aquatic Lands -</b> Authorizes the Department of Natural Resources to establish a single pilot mitigation bank on state-owned aquatic lands and to sell mitigation bank credits.	HRules C
SHB 1493	Sullivan, B., Upthegrove, Buck	<b>Allowing Certain State-owned Filled Tidelands and Shorelands to Be Designated as Aquatic Investment Properties -</b> Authorizes the Board of Natural Resources (Board) to designate certain state-owned filled tidelands and shorelands as aquatic investment properties. Authorizes the Department of Natural Resources (DNR), with approval from the Board, to purchase functioning aquatic lands and filled lands. Creates the aquatic sustaining investment account and moneys received from the sale or lease of aquatic investment properties must be deposited in the account and may only be used for the acquisition and improvement of functioning aquatic lands and filled lands.	HCap Budget

BILL NO.	PRIME SPONSORS	SUMMARY	SINE DIE STATUS
HB 1641	Kretz, Blake, Ahern	<b>Decriminalizing Vessel Registration Violations -</b> Changes the penalty for failing to register a vessel and display registration from a misdemeanor to a civil infraction.	HRules C
HB 1691	Orcutt, Blake, Kretz	<b>Concerning the Distribution of Moneys from State Forest Lands -</b> Alters the distribution of revenue generated from Forest Board Transfer Lands so that revenue otherwise earmarked to the State General Fund is instead redistributed proportionally among the other local taxing districts in the county.	HApprop
HB 1701	Sullivan, B., Dunshee, Chase	<b>Transferring Certain Common School Trust Land -</b> Directs the Board of Natural Resources to transfer Common School trust land known as "Harbor Pointe" to the City of Mukilteo for public and recreational purposes. Appropriates \$4.5 million from the State Building Construction Account to the Natural Resources Real Property Replacement Account for the purposes of buying replacement land.	HCap Budget
SHB 1730	Buck, Sullivan, B.	<b>Preventing and Controlling Aquatic Invasive Species and Algae -</b> Increases additional vessel registration fees by \$3 and deposits these moneys in three new dedicated accounts for aquatic invasive species prevention and enforcement, and freshwater aquatic algae control. Directs the Department of Fish and Wildlife and the Washington State Patrol to inspect watercraft and trailers and implement an aquatic invasive species early detection and rapid response plan.	HRules C ----- Provisions included in ESSB 5699
SHB 1731	Hunt, Campbell, Wood	<b>Requiring the Removal of Mercury Components from End-of-life Motor Vehicles -</b> Requires motor vehicle manufacturers to submit, and have approved by the state, a plan for the recovery of mercury-added components from motor vehicles. Makes unlawful the shredding or crushing of a vehicle that contains mercury-added components. Makes unlawful the false representation that the mercury-added components have been removed from a motor vehicle.	HApprop
SHB 1817	Sullivan, B., Ericks, Hinkle	<b>Improving Recycling -</b> Requires the transporters of recyclable materials to register with the state or face a civil violation. Requires certain recycling facilities to notify the state before commencing operations.	SRules 2G ----- Provisions included in SHB 1817
SHB 1820	Kagi	<b>Limiting Liability under the Model Toxics Control Act -</b> Expands the exemptions for liability under the Model Toxics Control Act to include the former owners of a residential property that was insured with the Pollution Liability Insurance Agency at the time ownership in the property was transferred.	HRules R
SHB 1831	Kretz, Blake, Grant	<b>Concerning Damage to Livestock -</b> Expands the wildlife damage crop compensation program to include damage done to livestock by predatory wildlife. Shifts the fund source for the wildlife compensation program from the Wildlife Account to the General Fund.	HApprop



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SHB 1840	Kilmer, Lantz, Talcott	<b>Modifying Use of the Water Quality Account -</b> Dedicates up to 25 percent of the Centennial Clean Water Act Grant program for funding activities in freshwater systems for two biennia.	HApprop
SHB 1852	Sullivan, B., Buck, Williams	<b>Creating a Boater Safety Education Program -</b> Directs the State Parks and Recreation Commission to establish and implement by rule a required boating safety education program. Establishes a mandatory \$10 boater education card to be phased in from 2008 to 2016 for persons 16 years of age and older operating motor boats with 10 horsepower or more.	HApprop ----- Provisions included in SSB 5145
SHB 1866	Williams, Buck, Upthegrove	<b>Providing Lien Authority to the Department of Ecology to Facilitate the Recovery of Remedial Action Costs under the Model Toxics Control Act -</b> Authorizes the Department of Ecology (DOE) to file a lien against a property where the State of Washington has incurred a remedial action cost that is unrecovered. Except for property tax assessments and mortgage liens, liens filed by the DOE have priority in rank over all other privileges, liens, encumbrances, or other security interests affecting the property.	HRules R ----- Provisions included in SSB 5449
SHB 1886	Simpson, Sullivan, B., Chase	<b>Reducing the Environmental Impact of Cleaning State Facilities -</b> Requires all state agencies to purchase and use cleaning products having properties that minimize impacts to human health and the environment. Directs the Department of General Administration, in consultation with the Department of Health and the Department of Ecology, to provide guidance to state agencies in the selection and procurement of products that reduce the risks of harmful effects to people and the environment.	HRules R
SHB 1985	Buck, Sullivan, B.	<b>Establishing the Future of Washington Forests Review Council</b> Creates the Future of Washington Forests Review Council to gather data on the various contributions of the forest products industry and developing recommendations for policy changes that will contribute to the maintenance of economic stability and growth in the forest products industry.	HApprop ---- Similar provisions added to operating budget
SHB 2084	Sullivan, B.	<b>Concerning Trust Land Management -</b> Requires the Department of Natural Resources to submit a report to the Legislature that details its success in meeting the expectations the Board of Natural Resources have set for the implementation of the newly adopted sustainable yield harvest plan.	HCap Budget
HB 2108	Appleton	<b>Concerning the Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation -</b> Restricts the Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation (IAC) from prohibiting or limiting a public body from receiving grant funds for a project solely because the public body received grant funds from another local, state, or federal source. Authorizes a public body to use a grant from other sources as matching funds when applying for a grant from the IAC for projects that benefit watercraft recreation.	HCap Budget

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SHCR 4406	Williams, Buck, Moeller	<b>Creating the Joint Select Legislative Task Force on Watershed Management and Salmon Recovery -</b> Establishes a Joint Select Legislative Task Force (Task Force) to evaluate and make recommendations regarding implementation of watershed health and salmon recovery plans. Directs the Task Force to evaluate current organizational structures, plans, and funding sources and make recommendations for ongoing implementation and funding by December 31, 2005.	HRules R
SB 5134	Jacobsen, Oke, Rasmussen	<b>Making the Disabled Hunters and Fishers Advisory Committee a Permanent Entity -</b> Extends the Fish and Wildlife Commission's advisory committee for persons with disabilities for an additional three years.	H2nd Reading ----- Provisions included in HB 1405
SB 5179	Morton, Jacobsen, Sheldon	<b>Studying Forest Health Issues -</b> Directs the Forest Health Strategy Work Group to hold a minimum of five meetings at diverse locations throughout the state to gather public input regarding a legislative proposal developed by the work group.	HApprop
SB 5232	Oke, Swecker, Jacobsen	<b>Requiring a Turkey Tag to Hunt for Turkey -</b> Requires a \$12 turkey tag for residents and a \$40 turkey tag for nonresidents to hunt for turkey.	H2nd Reading
SSB 5234	Jacobsen, Oke, Swecker	<b>Expanding Hunter Access to Certain Private Lands -</b> Allows the Department of Fish and Wildlife to provide money, materials, or labor to private landowners who open their property to public access for fishing or wildlife-oriented recreation. Assesses either a \$5 or a \$25 surcharge on every big and small game license to be used for implementing and managing the private landowner access program. Expands recreational immunity to private landowners participating in the public access program.	HRules R
SB 5272	Jacobsen, Oke, Doumit	<b>Reorganizing Aquatic Lands Statutes -</b> Consolidates and updates the statutory language that governs the Department of Natural Resources' management of aquatic lands without making substantive changes.	HRules R ----- Provisions included SHB 1491
SSB 5278	Jacobsen, Kline, Fraser	<b>Establishing the Ocean Policy Review Commission -</b> Establishes the 14 member Ocean Policy Review Commission (Commission) to examine findings from the United States Commission on Ocean Policy and identify recommendations for early implementation. Directs the Commission to review, identify, and recommend policies and management of coastal and ocean resources.	HApprop
SSB 5385	Jacobsen, Oke, Fraser	<b>Creating the Washington Invasive Species Council -</b> Creates a council, until the end of 2011, of six state agency representatives within the Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation to coordinate the management of harmful invasive species. Creates a new non-appropriated account in the state treasury.	HApprop

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ESSB 5432	Spanel, Swecker, Poulsen	<b>Creating the Citizens' Oil Spill Advisory Council. (Revised for Engrossed: Creating the Oil Spill Advisory Council.) -</b> Establishes a 15 member Oil Spill Monitoring and Oversight Council in the Office of the Governor to provide independent oversight, research and monitoring of the state's oil spill program. Directs the Council to report to the Governor and the Legislature with recommendations for the long-term funding of the council and the appropriate agency in which to locate the council.	HRules R
ESB 5710	Poulsen, Swecker, Brown	<b>Requiring the Removal of Mercury Components from End-of-life Motor Vehicles. (Revised for Engrossed: Concerning the Removal of Mercury-added Components in Motor Vehicles.) -</b> Requires motor vehicle manufacturers to submit, and have approved by the state, a plan for the recovery of mercury-added components from motor vehicles. Makes unlawful the shredding or crushing of a vehicle that contains mercury-added components. Makes unlawful the false representation that the mercury-added components have been removed from a motor vehicle.	HRules R
SSB 5895	Fraser, Poulsen, Morton	<b>Increasing Coordination Between the Puget Sound Recovery Partnership and Other Governmental Entities -</b> Renames and restructures the Puget Sound Water Quality Action Team. Moves the re-named Puget Sound Water Quality Action Team from the Governor's Office to independent state agency status. Requires the actions outlined in the Puget Sound Recovery Plan to be achievable within a 15-year time frame. Adds members to the Puget Sound Council.	HApprop

Bills Referred to the  
**NATURAL RESOURCES, ECOLOGY AND PARKS COMMITTEE**  
During the 2005 Regular Session  
But NOT Reported or Removed from the Committee

<b>BILL NO.</b>	<b>PRIME SPONSOR</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>SINE DIE STATUS</b>
HB 1118	Ericksen, DeBolt, Sump	<b>Concerning the Removal of Gravel from Waterways to Reduce Flooding -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1192	Upthegrove, Priest, Miloscia	<b>Modifying Membership of the Solid Waste Advisory Committee -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1263	Upthegrove, Hunt, Williams	<b>Concerning Hydraulic Project Approvals -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1354	Pearson, Kristiansen	<b>Authorizing a Pilot Program for Flood Control -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1422	Ericksen, Sump, Woods	<b>Concerning Small Scale Prospecting and Placer Mining -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1459	Sullivan, B., Dickerson, Jarrett	<b>Creating the Oil Spill Monitoring and Oversight Council -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks ----- Similar provisions adopted in ESSB 5432
HB 1498	Blake, McCoy, Wallace	<b>Prohibiting the Release of Barred Owls -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1543	McCune, Wallace, Sullivan, B.	<b>Concerning Salmon Labeling Requirements -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1611	Sullivan, B., Upthegrove, Williams	<b>Creating the Washington Invasive Species Council -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1692	Orcutt, Blake, Kretz	<b>Concerning the Management of Forest Lands by Counties -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1704	Upthegrove, Sullivan, B., McCoy	<b>Creating the Timber Land Revitalization Board -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1822	Kagi, Dickerson	<b>Phasing-out the Use of Toxic Shot -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks

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HB 1953	Newhouse, Blake, Kretz	<b>Allowing Counties to Be Included in a Cougar Control Pilot Program -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 1982	Green, Buck, Talcott	<b>Preventing Harmful Algae Blooms -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 2054	McDermott, Chase	<b>Protecting Salmon and Steelhead Spawning Beds -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 2151	Kretz, Blake, Haler	<b>Concerning Urban Creeks -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 2237	Cox, Holmquist, Grant	<b>Concerning the Acquisition of State Agricultural Lands -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 2267	Sullivan, B.	<b>Providing Guidelines for the Issuance and Renewal of a Geoduck Diver License and Requiring Harvesters to Help Reseed State Commercial Beds -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 2268	Sullivan, B.	<b>Concerning the Commercial Harvest of Geoduck Clams -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 2286	Upthegrove, Sullivan, B., Dunshee	<b>Providing for a Fair Allocation of Dungeness Crab Resources -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 2287	Sullivan, B., Dunshee, Upthegrove	<b>Concerning Dungeness Crab Fisheries -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
HB 2322	Ormsby	<b>Phosphorus in dish detergent</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
SB 5319	Oke, Doumit, Roach	<b>Concerning Animal Trapping -</b>	HNR, Ec, Pks
SB 5528	Morton, Mulliken, Schoesler	<b>Eliminating Certain Fees for Hydraulic Works Inspections -</b>	Similar provisions contained in HB 2309